

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: James Phan
Manabu Kato	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2872
Appln. No.: 08/951,635	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 1809
Filed: October 17, 1997	)	
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For: SCANNING OPTICAL APPARATUS	)	May 31, 2012

**Mail Stop Issue Fee**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

LETTER REQUESTING REAPPLICATION OF PREVIOUSLY-PAID ISSUE FEE AND  
AUTHORIZING CHARGE OF DEPOSIT ACCOUNT  
FOR BALANCE OF ISSUE FEE

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Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of a Notice of Allowance dated March 21, 2012, in the above-referenced application. The Issue Fee is due on or before June 21, 2012, and is being paid concurrently herewith.

The Notice of Allowance states that a fee of \$1740 is due, which should be \$530 (\$1740 - \$1210 = \$530). This is the difference between the current issue fee of \$1740, and the issue fee of \$1210 that was paid on May 12, 1999.

Applicant respectfully asks that the previously-paid issue fee of \$1210 that was paid on May 12, 1999, be reapplied, and that the \$530 difference and any deficiency be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-3939.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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